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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

It is asserted that these amendments do not add new matter and are supported by the specification and claims as originally filed. Entry of these claims is respectfully requested.

Claims 11-23 are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Claims 19-21 are kept unchanged.

Claims 11-18 and 22-23 are cancelled.

Claims 19-21 are pending in the application.

In response to the election/restriction requirement Request, Applicant elects, without traverse, Group II, claims 19-21. Non-elected claims 11-18 and 22-23 have been canceled.

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Should the Examiner have any question concerning these elections and remarks that would further advance prosecution of the claims to allowance, the examiner is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney at (609) 860-4180. A notice of allowance is respectfully solicited.

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